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## DETROIT

[News items for this column may be sent to Mrs. C. C. Colby, 338 Baldwin Avenue. A few words of information in a letter or card is sufficient. We will do the rest.]

The Detroit daily papers have published articles from an eminent French Scientist, who discovered a possible way for the blind to see without eyes, and now he comes forward and claims that it is possible to hear without ears. Here is one of the clippings:

"The whole question rests on the ability of science to so train the centers of audition, situate in the middle ear, that they will pick up vibrations conveyed to them through the skull, or through the mouth and nasal passages.

"The difficulty has been, not to achieve the above result, which is comparatively simple, as anyone who has held a watch between his teeth knows, but to separate and distinguish between the various vibrations so that the auditory nerves may catch and hold separate sounds, long enough for them to be interpreted by the brain.

"This cannot be accomplished by machinery, although it is the principle of most of the electrical and other devices for deaf people. It is a question entirely of education of the auditory nerve, and that is what we are working on.

"There seems no valid reason why a totally deaf person should not train his auditory centers to react through the center instead of the side of the buccal cavity. Experiments have in fact proven the complete reasonableness of the theory."

Under the auspices of the Detroit Association of the Deaf, a "Box Social" was given for the benefit of the Athletic Fund, Saturday evening, September 22d. It was a success and profitable. A big sum went into the fund, and the smile of the athletic boys won't pass for many moons. Credit is due the Committee of which S. Seppanen was Chairman, and his tireless helpers were G. Worley, M. Crittenden, Chas Stahl and E. Morgan.

There was a contest for the prettiest girl at D. A. D. It was a race for life and death by the members present.

First prize was won by Mrs. Alvera, who is tall and outweighed all the others; second prize was won by Miss Corbin.

The boxes of "eats" were auctioned off to the highest bidder, Mrs. McArdle won out, and got two dollars, while Mrs. Carl captured second, and was awarded one dollar.

An appreciative exhibition of "Foreign" dance was given by Miss Gwendolyn Caswell, of Chicago. A vote of thanks was given her for a collection, which was given to the Athletic fund.

If you ever happen to have anything to do with the training of a left handed child, do not try to make the child become right handed. Let Nature alone. By tampering, you are likely to interfere with the child's mental development. The facts are brought out by a writer, in his book "A Parents' Manual," published by the Century Company, New York.

"Parents worry when they discover their children are left-handed," he says. They will do all they can to change them over to right-handedness. They may succeed in doing so, but at a great risk, and usually with bad consequences which show themselves with the years.

"The reason for the usual right-handedness is that we are generally right-sided. In the evolution of the human race the left hemisphere of the brain has developed functionally beyond the right. Now, as we have the curious arrangement that all the nerve connections of the body cross over to the opposite side, and being functionally the stronger, makes us right-handed. In the left-hander, the right hemisphere is preponderant. Furthermore we know that all functions have certain definite centers in the brain and that the manual centers are in close proximity to speech centers and intimately allied with them.

"The result of this condition is that an interference with the natural arrangement such as forcing a left-handed child to use his right hand, produces disturbances in this relation. This explains why a left-handed child who is forced away from his natural endowment or loses it through accident or imitation is likely to develop speech defect, like stammering, or become nervous and generally awkward."

In the absence of Lay-Reader Waters, Mr. C. E. Drake took charge of the meeting, Sunday afternoon, September 23d. John Snyder offered Lord's prayer then Mrs. Wells rendered a Hymn 379—"Dwell God's House" Mr. Drake then read on "The Incomparable Christ." At the close Mrs. R. H. McLaughlin rendered "Rock of Ages."

The Flint Buick News has the following about Mr. J. Joseph Forget, one of our sents:

"J. Joseph Forget is a jolly good fellow and a peach of a worker, despite the fact that he has never been able to hear or speak in his life. Superintendent Mullin of Factory 1 says that he is probably the happiest man in the entire Factory despite his handicaps. The man is J. Joseph Forget, a paint brush welder on the paint line in Factory 1.

J. Joseph has been with the company since 1917, when he hired out as a helper in Factory 7. In 1919, he was transferred to the assembly line of Factory 10 and a year ago he started in No. 1.

During his entire period of service with the Buick, J. Joseph has been one of those fellows who "stand good" with their fellows workers. He can't talk and he can't hear but anything that's necessary, he usually understands and goes about to do it with the zeal that any ordinary man with his full senses would envy.

The members—ladies and gentlemen of the Rainbow Club met at the home of Mrs. Delbert Johnson, Tuesday evening, September 18th, to discuss and prepare for the opening contest of the card game. The date has not been decided on, but will be known by next week. Delicious refreshment of hot chocolate, hot coffee and cake were served.

James, the twelve year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Johnson was tendered a delightful birthday party at their home on Lee Place, Friday evening, September 21st. His old playmates and schoolmates were invited to enjoy the evening with him. The dining table was decorated with flowers, and a birthday cake with twelve candles—six in white and six in pink. Among the pretty remembrances he got was an Ingersoll watch, which he gladly prizes. He is in the Seventh Grade at the Hutchinson High School, and is a fine scholar for his age.

Mrs. Ralph Huhn is resting well at the East Side Hospital on Pennsylvania Avenue, after undergoing an operation for appendicitis. Her friends and church members hope she will soon be well and be among them again.

Mrs. Ed. McMullen, of Dearborn, Mich., is visiting her mother in Ypsilanti, Mich., for some time. Edward was in Detroit, Saturday September 22d, calling on the Leachs, and together went to Mt. Clemens, Mich., to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Harry J. Brown is at present enjoying visiting her husband's sister, Mrs. A. Freitay, and old friends, in Jackson, Mich. While she is away her husband's brother is to keep the house for him, as he is a No. 1 cook. Mrs. Brown kindly sent Mrs. Colby a pretty view of Jackson State Prison. Thank you.

Mr. and Mrs. William, Rheiner are happy, and behold their very cheerful grin, they have their winter's coal all in.

Mrs. John Snyder returned home happily and satisfactorily Tuesday evening, the 18th. She was accompanied by her daughter. They visited her relatives and old friends in Indianapolis, and also attended the Indiana Reunion. She also visited other relatives in Lafayette, Monticello, Crawfordsville, Ind.

Wm. M. Allman, of Chicago, was in Detroit for a few days, visiting his married son and family, who live on

Chicago Boulevard. He enjoyed seeing the sights of the city and returned home to Chicago Wednesday morning, September 26th. In December he probably will start for a trip to Sunny California, and be gone till the first of April.

Adelbert Johnson, our friend over on the North side, has a steady position at the Ford Motor Co., as Inspector and has been at it for eight years. He is a No. 1 husband, for when his wife was away for her vacation last summer, he repaired and painted the furniture, and fixed their apartment fresh and pleasant to surprise her upon her return.

Mrs. Violet Seegner, who left August 29th, for Indianapolis, to visit her relatives and old friends, and also attended the reunion returned home recently. She reported a grand time.

Miss Gwendolyn Caswell of Chicago, is stopping with friends in this city. She has been here since Friday, September 21st.

Ralph Adams, who has been sojourning in Chicago and nearby cities for about two weeks, is back home in Detroit, and is seen at the D. A. D. with a smiling face once again.

Mrs. Florence McArdle, charming wife of J. P. McArdle and a son, of Philadelphia, is going to Denver, Colorado, for a month's visit to her folks.

Delia Turner, fourteen years old, Colorado deaf girl of Detroit, left for Flint Wednesday, to attend the Michigan School for the Deaf. She was accompanied by Mrs. Ben Dahm.

Mrs. Sadie Cordoran Sproull, of Kalamazoo, Mich., is making her winter home with her married daughter in Detroit. She surprised her friends with her presence at the service of Ephphatha Mission, September 23d.

Sweet Alice, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smyth, well-known among the deaf is to be married October 25th. Congratulations.

Chas. Stahl, formerly of West Virginia, but now a staunch resident of Detroit, has a steady position at the L. A. Young Industrial Springs Co.

Mrs. James Henderson, who has been visiting her brother and relatives in Calumet, Mich., returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCraig, of Highland Park, have just purchased a new brick house for thirteen thousand dollars.

Fred McCarthy, one of the officers of the D. A. D., is back home in the city, and spoke of his enjoyable trip to Danville, Decatur, Springfield and other cities in Illinois.

One of the world's famous corporations—Fisher Body Company, No. 14, has faith in the deaf and has engaged about eleven deaf workers. Good!

It is sorrowful to state that Mrs. Rowden (Alice Thornton), who lives on 8335 Senator Avenue, is in trouble. Her hearing husband left her for unknown parts. She is left penniless with seven children. Some good Charity Institution in Detroit have taken care of them, and provided them with food and clothes to wear.

Miss Mila May Bailey and Mr. Joseph Pastori were married September 23d. In honor of the bride several swell showers, were given lately.

MRS. C. C. C.

Whist Party in Portchester, N. Y.

A whist party was held at the cozy little home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Guinta, in the quaint little town of Portchester. Laughter and merriment reigned supreme, the little affair was a tremendous success. To add to the attraction was the table well laden with goodies galore, and served artistically under the grape arbor. 'Twas the end of a perfect day, and Mr. Guinta needless to say, is duty proud of his better half for her wonderful, yet charming hospitality.

Those who were fortunate to participate are the following:

Mr. and Mrs. G. Marshall, Mr. and R. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. J. Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. S. Riley, the Misses Edith Marshall, and Mary Darby. Messrs. Leo Berzon, Max Hoffman, C. Sussman, A. Meier, A. Wheeler, John Barker, C. Golden and Miss Tracy.

## St. Louis Briefs

Miss Mamie Houston has returned from a pleasant summer spent way down East, which included New York and Plymouth.

Mrs. Elizabeth Garth attended the recent Centennial reunion at her Alma Mater at Danville, Ky., and says it was simply great.

St. Louis Division, N. F. S. D., will have a social affair at St. Thomas' Mission, Memorial House, 1210 Locust Street, on the evening of October 20th. Mr. Leo. Froning has general charge of the affair.

Mrs. Mattie Merrell and her daughter, Lottie, have returned from a Pacific Coast trip extending from San Diego to San Francisco. The trip certainly did them good and they enjoyed it greatly.

G. W. Arnot is back home from a somewhat extended visit among relatives in Indiana. He has gained in weight and his general condition seems to be much improved since the serious fall he had from the rear porch of his home last March.

The friends of Mrs. Nellie Allabough will be pleased to hear that she is regaining her health. Mrs. Allabough and her mother are living with Mrs. Allabough's sister near Collinsville, Ill., a suburb of St. Louis. Mrs. Cloud and Mrs. Garth were among the recent callers on Mrs. Allabough.

Messrs. Berry, Hughes and Lang, instructors at the Missouri School, and Mr. Burns, of the Illinois School faculty were recent visitors in the city and attended services at St. Thomas' Mission. They later had charge of pupils going to the Missouri and Illinois State Schools from this point.

Mr. Daniel T. Cloud, assistant to the principal at the Arkansas State School for the Deaf, spent a few days with the home folks before returning to his duties at Little Rock. He spent the greater part of his vacation with her relatives in Illinois and visited the Illinois School on his way to St. Louis.

The Woman's Guild of St. Thomas' Mission gave a "pound party" at the Schuyler House on a recent evening, which was largely attended. Mrs. Theurer had general charge of the affair. A neat little sum was realized for the work of Deaconess Bedell in Alaska.

Not long ago the Deaconess addressed the Guild, and what she had to say about her work in far away Alaska was most interesting and instructive, so the Guild wanted to help it along with a benefit affair.

Mr. G. J. Turczek was tendered a birthday party at his home by a number of friends recently. It was supposed to take him by surprise, but somehow or other it didn't. Trifles light as air arouse suspicions at times and off preliminaries at the Turczek home was the undoing of the surprise feature once the small boy of the family got on to the plan. A few days later a number of lady friends of Mrs. Turczek, under the leadership of Mrs. Seubite, captured Turczek castle and spent a pleasant day.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moegle and their two year old son figured in an auto accident recently, for which they were in no way responsible. Mr. Moegle approached a street intersection and slowed down as also did the occupants of a car approaching from another side. At the proper signal Mr. Moegle started on, but a car coming up from behind shot ahead and turned sharply into the path of Mr. Moegle's car, giving it a side swipe and jolting Mrs. Moegle and the child she was holding in her lap, into the street.

The child was unharmed, but Mrs. Moegle was rendered unconscious, rushed to a hospital, and later taken home. She seems to have entirely recovered from the effects of her fright and fall. The case is set for a hearing in court and will be tried in a few days.

The deaf of St. Louis were the first to take legal steps to protect their right to the road. Judging by the imposing array of present car owners it does look as if the worm has turned and the poor hearing minority will be shunted off the public highways, not because they have no right there, that is conceded, but because they can find no room.

Here is St. Louis' list:

Charles Kilpatrick.....	Ford
Clarence Spiegel.....	Ford
Ross P. Sutton.....	Ford
Ernst F. Miller.....	Ford
John H. Burgher.....	Ford
W. L. Weber.....	Ford
Alexander Schenk.....	Ford
Oscar B. Bloch.....	Ford
Joseph Palecek.....	Gardner
Charles W. Haig.....	Ford
Fred W. Stockick.....	Ford
C. F. Kleinschmidt.....	Ford
George W. Roeder.....	Ford
Roy Lynch.....	Chevrolet
Nicholas Kiernan.....	Ford
Endora Harden.....	Dodge
Geo. J. Turczek.....	Ford
Edwin Kurtzborn.....	Ford
W. J. Stone.....	Oakland
E. R. Burmeister.....	Maxwell
Charles Jones.....	Gray
William H. Schaub.....	Dodge
C. A. Kafka.....	Jewett
George Clark.....	Ford
Louis D. Moegle.....	Ford
Roy Hawley.....	Ford
Carl Brookmeyer.....	Ford
E. A. Rosson.....	Ford
Edward Blevins.....	Dodge
Samuel P. Beck.....	Ford
Elmer Griser.....	Ford
J. W. Houseman.....	Ford
Mr. Sanderson.....	Ford
Harry Berwin.....	Buick
Adolph Peterson.....	Essex
A. Grenzbach.....	Ford
John E. Meyer.....	Chevrolet
Wilfred Gauding.....	Chevrolet
Mrs. Hattie Deem.....	Ford

Coming events at St. Thomas' Mission, 1210 Locust Street, in the Evening:

Oct. 20.—Social under Frat Mission auspices.

Oct. 21.—Public Opinion, Current Events.

Oct. 27.—Social under Mission auspices.

## A FISHING TRIP.

Mr. Henry W. Hester, of Hoboken, N. J., ever since Mr. Charles J. LeClerc migrated to Sunny California, has been known as the person most interested in depriving the deep of its finny inhabitants. He has become known also as one of those who know exactly when and where the fishes are in great numbers.

So Henry W. Hester can be depended on to lead others for a fine day's outing on the ocean, where all you have to do is throw out your line, and then pull it in again and haul in fish after fish.

This article was intended to give an account of a Fishing Trip, but by mentioning that Henry W. Hester led the boys on the occasion, the readers may be more interested in him.

Before beginning the narrative, it must be stated that Henry W. Hester went on several fishing trips since July, but kept quiet about these.

Perhaps the readers will suspect that on these other occasions Henry W. Hester and his companions did not have any luck at all. The readers are entitled to their opinion. The writer only knows that these trips were taken, but does not know if any fish were missed from the Atlantic.

Well, this is the narrative as told us. Believe or don't for we do not affirm the truthfulness of the story.

The place was at Fire Island, Babylon, L. I., and famous for weak fish, blue fish and other species too numerous to mention.

The party consisted of Eddie Doenges, Henry W. Hester, who acted as Captain; Joseph Graham the President of Bronx Division, No. 92, N. F. S. D.

To go on a fishing trip such as this meant quite a journey from their homes, so they met by appointment at Babylon, L. I., on the last Saturday in September, where they engaged rooms at the Boyne Hotel for the night, which is near the Great South Bay, and prepared to go on Capt. E. J. Smith's motor boat "Louise," the next day.

Bright and early they got up in the morning, and hied for the boat where they had breakfast. This over, they left the boat for a place nearby to get some bait, about fifteen quarts of shrimps, and perhaps a couple of gallons of other stuff to tempt the fishes.

This done, they hastened back to

the boat, then the Captain not Captain Henry W. Hester, but Captain E. J. Smith, of the staunch motor boat "Louise," gave the command to start.

While the boat was running at a good rate of speed, the Captain not Henry W. Hester, but Captain E. J. Smith was on the lookout for a good place where there might be a school of weak fish that would be willing to have some breakfast at the expense of Captain Henry W. Hester and his party.

Have you ever been on a fishing trip? To the deep blue sea?

Capt. Hester and Eddie Doenges have been there many times, and while the boat was on its way to the right place on the present trip, they recounted of these, of the big ones they caught, and bigger ones they almost caught, but got away.

At length the Captain, who is familiar with the best locations, where fishes abound, and only waiting to be caught by amateur fishermen, or some other as famous as Henry W. Hester and his party, suddenly halted his boat.

This was the signal for the silent fishermen to drop their lines. Of course, this command was given by the Captain. Which one, Smith or Hester?

It makes no difference which Captain it was that gave the command to begin, but fact is the Captain of the boat got the first bite. It was weak-fish, weighting 7½ pounds.

To the other Captain—Henry W. Hester belongs the honor of the second bite. It must have been a very big one, Henry had a terrible time in trying to land it. The fish struggling to get free, and Henry doing his utmost to capture it, and though he went through all the methods known to the scientific world, when only a few feet from the boat, the fish fought itself free, and got away. Was Captain Henry W. Hester disappointed? Of course, he was, for surely he thought he had the biggest ever, and the biggest ever caught by any silent fisherman, bigger than the one, weighing eight pounds, caught by Eddie Doenges two years ago.

But such is luck. Eddie, while seemingly bent on trying to get a bite to land a prize, was all the time watching Henry's struggle to land, what he thought might take away the laurels from him for having caught the biggest fish during the past two years, and when Henry lost his prize, was Eddie sorry? Well, Eddie did not weep, he only smiled, which means much, and of course Henry said some thing, but as he got busy right away, to try to recapture the most treasured prize, which would have given him fame, what he really did say was not clearly distinctly understood.

If Eddie did laugh at Henry's misfortune, Henry's turn soon came for Eddie had even worse luck, in attempting to land what seemed to be a good-sized one; somehow one of Eddie's hooks got caught on the side of the boat, and the fish which was struggling finally got away. Was Eddie mad? Ask Captain Hester, he knows.

Eddie said he would catch it again, but instead he caught even a better one, an eight pounder. Was Eddie happy? Ask Captain Henry W. Hester, he knows better than anybody.

Joseph Graham, he of the Bronx, had never caught a fish in his life, but not because he lives in the Bronx, but because he had not up to that time gone fishing for weak fish or any other fish like Henry W. Hester, the Captain of the silent fishing party.

It's said that if a green horn is taught poker, he generally wins the first try, so it was with Joseph Graham, (not at poker playing, for Joseph never plays poker for the reason that he does not know how) at his first try to catch a good sized one, not alone, to be sure, but by the aid of one of the boat's helpers, who lured the beast with the aid of a net. It was a 7½ pounds weak fish. Joseph was elated over his success, and now if any one desires to know the best way to land a 7½ pounder, just ask Joseph Graham, he of the Bronx, and he will cheerfully explain in detail how it is done.

Soon after it began to rain, but the Captain of the boat, E. J. Smith,

(not Captain Henry W. Hester) Eddie Doenges and Joseph Graham, attired in oil-skins, continued fishing, and how fast they landed fish after fish on the boat is wonderful to relate, which goes to prove that fishes bite better when it rains than when it doesn't. Some were little ones, but several large ones were among the number.

All this time where do you think Captain W. Hester was? Give it up? Well, I will tell you that on account of there being no more oil-skin suits to go around, the poor Captain of the silent fishing party had to remain below decks for two long hours, and he felt like a prisoner, he who arranged for the trip, and his companions enjoying the sport to the utmost, while he—Yes, while he was longing to show them how to land big ones, they were doing it.

Poor Captain Henry W. Hester, of Hoboken, N. J., don't you feel sorry for him?

The day's catch all told was a record catch, and totalled 23 tide runners, 2 blue fishes and 2 black fishes.

And if they had caught all that got away, this story would be longer, so we will accordingly cut it short.

But Henry W. Hester is not downcast, for he is just now planning for another trip for this month, and at the same place, before the school of weak fish depart for the south to seek warm weather. He is in the hope that there will be a bigger party when next he leads them for the last time of the season. He adds that though kept from a full day's fishing, his last trip was very enjoyable one, and that it will long linger in the memory of the whole party, and to say for him that those who contemplate joining in the next one, will no doubt be able to enjoy a day's sport.

## Eastern Iowa.

The following is taken from the Davenport Daily Times, of September 14th:—

Mrs. Margaret Schneider, 2727 Grand Avenue, Davenport, died at St. Luke's Hospital at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon after having been ill three months.

The decedent was born August 26, 1864, at St. Louis and had been a resident of Davenport for 40 years. She was 59 years of age at the time of her death. She was married in Davenport on June 5, 1893, to George Schneider. Mrs. Schneider was a member of St. John's M. E. Church and also was a member of the Mutual Fraternal Society of the Deaf. Surviving besides her husband are her mother, Mrs. Marguerite Rowan and a brother, Joseph H. Gay, of Davenport.

The funeral was held from the E. A. Horrigan & Son funeral parlors Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with interment in Oakdale Cemetery.

The foregoing is also from the Davenport Daily Times, of September 17th:—

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Schneider was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the E. A. Horrigan & Son funeral parlors with interment in Oakdale Cemetery. Dr. Frank W. Court, pastor of St. John's M. E. Church, officiated. The Davenport Chapter, No. 59, of the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf attended in a body. Members of the society, C. E. Loughran, W. A. Nelson, C. M. Sharrar, A. E. Johnson, O. T. Osterberg and J. O'Hern, were pallbearers.

The members of the Jolly Club had a barn dance party at Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sharrar's home Saturday night, September 22d, and those who were present had a nice time.

Mrs. D. M. Slight, formerly of Cedar Falls, Iowa, but now of Chicago, where her husband has a good job painting, attended the reunion at the School for the Deaf at Fulton, Mo., last August. She stopped in Davenport, Iowa, on way to Chicago and visited with her old friend Mrs. O. T. Osterberg for a week.

Mr. Theodore Elvert, formerly of Davenport, Iowa, is now working in Los Angeles, California. He thinks living in Southern California is better than in Iowa.



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"He's true to God who's true to man:  
Wherever wrong is done  
To the humblest and the weakest  
'Neath the all-beholding sun,  
That wrong is also done to us,  
And they are slaves most base,  
Whose love of right is for themselves,  
And not for all the race."

Specimen copies sent to any address on receipt of five cents.

Notice concerning the whereabouts of individuals will be charged at the rate of ten cents a line.

We have received several items the past few weeks, in which the senders either forgot, or did not think it necessary to sign their names to them.

In all regulated newspaper offices there is a standing rule, that all contributions must be accompanied with the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

Another rule, which must be observed by all correspondents is to write only on one side of the paper.

News items concerning the deaf are always welcome, and will find space in the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, if the above rules are observed, otherwise we will be obliged to throw all such contributions in the waste basket.

It would also facilitate matters of our correspondents would write plainly the names of individuals, cities, towns, etc.

## Gallaudet College.

Football is all the rage, we talk football, we eat football, we sleep football, the game with our ancient green and gold rivals from Western Maryland looms baldly upon the horizon. Last year the green and gold triumphed, this year, will they? Only after eleven royal blue warriors are helpless on the field. That's the answer from Capt Langenberg and his men. It's do or die. The representatives of Gallaudet are determined to make good for the poor showing of last year in Westminster. The invaders will certainly know they have been in a football game.

The students are taking advantage of the beautiful fall weather by making full use of the regulation allowing their intermingling on the front campus. This regulation certainly proves a good way to get the Co-eds out in the sunshine more.

The Literary Society and Saturday Night Dramatic Club have finally managed to hold elections and have elected the following officers: Literary Society—President, Mr. Ernest G. Langenberg, '25; Vice-President, James B. Beauchamp, '25; Secretary, Mr. Nick Braunagel, '27; Treasurer, Mr. Edward Szopa, '27.

S. N. D. C.—President, Mr. Alfred E. Stephens, '24; Vice-President, Mr. Robert Fletcher, '26; Secretary, Mr. Casper Jacobson, '27; Treasurer, Mr. Edward Bu-mann, '27.

The Speech Reading Club is the last organization to get under way. Since the club is yet in its infancy and allowance is usually made for the other organizations to hold their meetings first. Announcement will be made as to what course the club will pursue.

The Campus Photographer "shot" the entire student body on the historic chapel steps last week, in accordance to the yearly custom. The reporter wishes to correct in regard to Dr. Ely's occupying the house in which Dr. Fay lived. Mrs. Fay will continue to live on the Green.

In a practice game with a team from the army Cantonment here last week the varsity football squad wore the ear marks of a well drilled smooth running team for such a small amount of practice. There were no penalties chalked up against

the team, and the score was 20 to 0 in our favor.

The line up to represent our hopes on the gridiron this year will very likely read as follows:

Capt. Langenberg full-back; Rose, Bradley and Davis half backs, Massinkoff, quarter. Boatwright and Wallace ends, John O. Killian tackles, Szopa, Falk, Young and Bu-mann guards; Pucci, center. The substitutes while not so inexperienced are very light. The varsity will average 160 pounds.

The O. W. L. S. banquet was held on Saturday evening October 6th, at 8 o'clock. This year's new members are Emma Sandberg, '25, Mildred Markstad, '25, Marine Marino, '26, Mary Kannapel, '27, Fern Newton, '27, and Lillian McFarland, '27. The menu was as follows:

Cream of Tomato Soup  
CROUTONS  
Chicken a la Maryland  
Gravy  
Celery  
Mashed potatoes  
Green Peas  
Pineapple Ice cream  
Mints  
Cocoanut Cake  
Demi Tasse  
Salted Peanuts

Lalla Wilson, '24, acted as toast-master. The speakers were Helen Pence, '24, "We Meet," Emma Sandberg, "Out from Darkness," and Miss Elizabeth Peet, "The Old Nest." Guests from outside were Helen Moss, '23, Miss Edith Nelson, '13, Mrs. Harley Drake, Mrs. Parker, Maude Hughes, ex-'26, Mary Klaita, ex-'24, and Mrs. Anstin.

On Sunday morning, September 30th, most of the Co-eds went on a long hike. They made Rock Creek Park their goal. In this lovely park they ate lunch. Misses Dobson and Clarkson made some very excellent coffee, which added zest to the repast. The Co-eds are looking forward to more hikes, and more coffee.

The Y. W. C. A. held a tea in honor of the Preparatory girls. Their old friend Miss Cook attended and met all the new girls. The Y. W. C. A. is a very active organization in Gallaudet College. The members hold meetings every two weeks, and give support and assistance to many needy causes.

Miss Louise Brookes, '27, is to be envied. Last summer she made a trip to Alaska, going by water and returning by way of the Canadian Rockies.

The students had the pleasure in hearing Rev. H. C. Merrill, who occupied the pulpit Sunday afternoon, the seventh. Rev. Merrill is a Gallaudet man, being of the class '96. He was formerly pastor of the Washington Church, and is very much at home here.

## PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1538 North Dwyer Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

(P. S. A. D.—Continued.)

The reporter was unable to be present at the business meeting of the Alumni Association on Friday morning, August 31st, 1923, and he is therefore unable to report the proceedings of that session. We may note, however, that all the business transacted at this session concerned the Alumni Association only.

The business of the session of the P. S. A. D. on Friday afternoon of the same day likewise concerned that body only. It began at 2:45 P.M., with President Holliday in the chair and an invocation by the Rev. F. C. Smielau.

In the absence of Secretary Reider, the President appointed Harry E. Stevens, Secretary pro tem.

The minutes of the Lancaster Convention in 1922, were offered in printed form, but in order to save time, were not read but accepted on motion duly seconded.

By request, Rev. F. C. Smielau kindly consented to read the report of the Board of Managers, which was as follows:

To the Members of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf:

Your Board submits the following report of its work since the last Annual Meeting of the Society, during which time three meetings have been held by it; to wit: On September 2, 1922; on October 24, 1922, and on April 2, 1923. No special meeting was held, but only those meetings prescribed by the By-Laws of the Society.

At the first meeting in the order noted, the annual re-organization of the Board took place, as required by the By-Laws, and resulted as follows:

President, Francis M. Holliday, of Pittsburgh; First Vice-President, Franklin C. Smielau, of Selingsgrove; Second Vice-President, A. M. Fahnestock, of Muncy; Secretary, James S. Reider, of Philadelphia; Treasurer, Alexander S. McGhee, of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia was selected as the place for the next annual meeting of the Society in 1923—the 37th meeting, because of the fact that the Sixth Reunion of the Alumni Association of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf would be held at the School in Mt. Airy in the latter part of August, or early Fall, with which a joint meeting might be arranged.

This meeting was necessarily cut short with an agreement to hold an adjourned meeting of the Board in October at the call of the President.

Because of a standing rule to give retiring officers grace until October first to settle up their affairs, the newly-elected officers automatically assumed office at the adjourned meeting in October, that is without any formality, and First Vice-President Smielau presided in the absence of President Holliday.

Treasurer McGhee, who was absent on account of illness, sent a statement of the financial condition of the Society from April 29th, 1922, to October 23, 1923, a period of nearly six months. In brief, it showed balance and receipts of \$947.11, and expenditures of \$163.43, leaving a balance of \$783.68. Of this amount, the sum of \$456.50 was for the Home Fund.

Authority was voted the Secretary to have the proceedings of the Lancaster Convention printed, as usual.

The Board ordered the transfer of all monies received for the Home Fund, amounting to \$456.50, together with \$100 additional, appropriated from the General Fund of the Society, to the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees. Thus a total of \$556.50 was ordered transferred to the Home Fund, which was the limit the Society could spare at that time.

Here follows a list of Board Committee which we omit here for want of space.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the Secretary to subscribe, in the name of the Society, for five (5) double shares of stock in the 40th series of the Baldwin Building and Loan Association, whose office is at No. 2731 West Girard Avenue, Philadelphia. The series date from November, 1922, and they should mature in about six years.

The Board formally expressed its regret at the continued illness of one of its members, Mr. Joseph W. Atcheson, of Pittsburgh, who is confined to his home by a severe form of rheumatism.

A revised statement was received from the Treasurer of the Society on April 2d, 1923, which showed the finances to be as follows:

Total balance and receipts to April 2, 1923, \$863.50; Total expenditures, \$633.10; Balance, April 2, \$230.40; Amount in Baldwin B. L. A., \$70.00; Total, \$300.40.

Included in the above receipts is \$75.40 collected on last Donation Day.

A supplementary statement from the Treasurer gave the receipts from the Easter Appeal for the Home as \$114.75, which is not included in the above statement, being additional receipts.

The Board finally decided on August 30th to September 3d, 1923, as the dates for the 37th meeting of the Society jointly with the Alumni Association of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf at Mt. Airy.

A printing bill for \$15.17 was ordered paid, and membership renewal notices were ordered printed.

On the statement of F. C. Smielau that President Holliday had appointed him as a Special Committee of one to represent the Society in protesting against certain provisions of the new Motor Vehicle Laws, then under consideration by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, which discriminated against the deaf as a class, and in endeavoring to secure a modification of the objectionable provisions, the Board gave its approval and, furthermore, appropriated the sum of \$50 for the work. Mr. Smielau will submit a report of his work at this meeting of the Society.

Messrs. John A. McIlvaine, Jr., and Barton Sensenig were re-elected Trustees of the Home, and Mr. George T. Sanders was elected to succeed Rev. C. O. Dantzer, whose protracted illness prevented him from serving longer, much to the regret of the Board.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay \$76.25 the Home Fund at the last meeting of the Board.

The foregoing is a full report of the official act of your Board condensed from its minutes for the term of 1922-1923, and trusting that it meets with your approval, it is now  
Respectfully submitted,  
JAS S. REIDER, Secretary.

The above report was duly adopted, and then Mrs. McGhee, in place of Treasurer McGhee, who was absent, read the Treasurer's annual report. (Space will not allow us to produce it here.)

Mr. Lyman Steed, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees, gave a report of the finances of the Home.

The President announced the Committee on Nominations, as follows: William H. Lipsett, D. Ellis Lit, S. Rogalsky, Washington Houston and George T. Sanders.

Secretary McIlvaine, of the Board of Trustees, read information of special interest from his report of the Home for the Aged and Infirm Deaf. The full report will be embodied in the proceedings of this 1923 meeting when printed.

After explaining that a handsome balance was left over from the Motor Vehicle Law fight, Mr. Lit suggested and moved that the Society reward Mr. Smielau for his work by drawing the sum of \$100.00 out of the balance for the purpose, and also to raise more by personal subscription to add to the \$100. The motion was seconded, and though strongly opposed by some members, was carried.

Mr. Lit presented an elaborate plan for a campaign to raise \$50,000 for an annex building to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Deaf at Doyletown, which received the hearty approval of the convention.

Some other business of minor importance was transacted, after which the convention adjourned for the day.

(Next week we hope to conclude our report of the Convention.)

## FANWOOD.

The Fanwood Literary Association met in the chapel on Thursday evening, October 4th, 1923, and after minor business was transacted, the following ticket was submitted, and after the tellers had counted the votes it was found the entire list was unanimously elected.

The list of officials for the season 1923-24 is as follows:

COUNSELOR  
Isaac B. Gardner, M.A.  
FOR PRESIDENT  
Thomas Francis Fox, M.A., Litt.D.  
FOR FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT  
Robert Fitting  
FOR SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT  
Joseph Mazzola  
FOR SECRETARY  
Jessie Garrick  
FOR TREASURER  
Myra L. Barrager  
FOR DIRECTORS  
William G. Jones, M.A.  
Amelia E. Berry  
Edward S. Burdick  
Frank S. Thomason  
Kate A. Currier  
Alice E. Judge  
Fayette P. Fox

On Tuesday, the 2d of October, at 8 A. M. Staff Captain C. C. Altenderfer called the battalion in the boy's study room, and then went to the parade ground. Captain Altenderfer ordered the cadet officers to line up. Major William Van Tassel and Captain Altenderfer selected the 1923-24 cadet officers as follows:—

CADET OFFICERS 1923-24.  
Robert Fitting . . . . . Captain Co. A  
Joseph Mazzola . . . . . Captain Co. B  
Raymond McCarthy . . . . . Captain Co. C  
Joseph Krassner . . . . . Adjutant  
Richard Pokorny . . . . . Lieutenant and Band Leader  
Benny Shafanek . . . . . Lieutenant Co. A  
Rudolph Behrens . . . . . Lieutenant Co. B  
Arne Olsen . . . . . Lieutenant Co. C  
James Garrick . . . . . Drum Major  
Ben Ash . . . . . First Sergeant Co. A  
Charles Knobloch . . . . . First Sergeant Co. B  
Jacob Gleicher . . . . . First Sergeant Co. C  
Edmund Hicks . . . . . Color Sergeant Senior  
Edward Kirwin . . . . . Color Sergeant Junior  
Isidore Dietz . . . . . Assistant and Band Leader  
Leopold Port . . . . . Band Sergeant  
Morris Korman . . . . . Band Corporal  
Frank Heintz . . . . . Band Corporal  
Gaetano Trapani . . . . . Band Lance Corporal  
Colonel Isaac B. Gardner made an address to the new officers, giving good advice. He congratulated the new officers, and said he expected they would make good.

A decided improvement in the illumination of the Chapel platform was made this summer by the replacement of the antiquated dim gas with brilliant electric lights. The new system comprises three circuits of 24 lights each and gives a wide range for variation in illumination, and which is easily controlled by switches on the right side of the platform. This splendid improvement was donated by one of the directors.

The Protean Society room has been decorated with pennants, flags and pictures by Captain Joseph Mazzola, Cadet Captain Robert J. Fitting, Cadet Lieutenant and Band Leader Richard Pokorny, Cadet First Sergeant Benny Shafanek, Cadet Lieutenant Raymond McCarthy, Cadet First Sergeant Joseph Krassner, and Cadet Drum Major James Garrick.

On Saturday afternoon, September 29th, Cadet Louis Farber identified John Scott, who is a pitcher of New York Giants. Louis passed him at the Yankee Stadium.

Last Tuesday afternoon Miss Jessie Garrick called at the Institution with her mother. She looks well after her recent operation, but will not return to school till next month.

Recently a new big clock was hung up on the wall of the Cadet's Lavatory. Now they will be unable to make excuses if they are late at the line-up before each meal.

Mr. Jacques Alexander, who is an artist, and has spent the summer in Europe, was a caller in the Printing Office on Thursday forenoon, October 4th.

Last week Mrs. Isaac B. Gardner presented three college pennants to the Protean Society. They now adorn the walls of its room.

Early Saturday morning, October 6th, Cadet David Reitzler hurried to reach City Hall to see Premier Lloyd George, but he got there too late.

The Basketball season will be in soon after the baseball season closes. ROBERT AND RUDOLPH.

## CHICAGO.

All hail the State of Illini;  
Chicago points with pride,  
With rapture, ecstasy and joy  
To Spalding's Football Guide!  
On page two-hundred-six you'll see  
The football team of I. S. D.

Great is Illinoi!

Page 206 of Spalding's Official Football Rules has a picture of the Illinois School for the Deaf football team, with Col. Smith and Coach Burns. The write-up thereof is on page 217. It has been many a day since a school for the deaf has been thus honored.

Camp's "Leading players of the season" mentions Louis LaFontaine (Ohio) Gallaudet, end, on page 23, and Ernest Langenberg, (Wis.) Gallaudet back, on page 33. Walter Camp says this idea is to create a nation-wide honor roll in football.

Coach Ted Hughes of Gallaudet is causing Washington scribes to sit up and take notice with his new and snappy formations this fall. Ted pursued football strategy last summer at the University of Illinois coaches' course—the same course our Robey Burns spent two years studying. Furthermore, Ted is aided by a scintillating "rat" quarterback, fresh from Burns's stable—Louis Masinkoff, who graduated from the Illinois school last June. Masinkoff is said to be setting Kendall Green afire by his snappy handling of the team. Two other Burns' products are on the scrub, with excellent chances of winning their spurs on the "varsity" before winter—Johnson, end, and Mennen.

The Silent A. C. is planning to put another football team in the field this fall. If successful, it will be a capital advertisement for the club. If successful, "Growing bones bend; old bones break," is a truism all wrestlers and all football coaches know. After a man is 24, the chances of serious injury in such strenuous pastimes increases year by year. Particularly if daily training is impractical as is the case here. They can get away with it in Akron, where all the stars live close together and can arrange work-hours to suit; but football for Chicago silents—I fear, I fear.

Chesterfield Arthur Hinch is manager of the Sac eleven, and Paul Belling is captain.

The September issue of *The Frat*, just out, is a little more interesting than usual—but still far from ideal. A casual glance shows they have adopted that "Beg Your Pardon" department of the *Chicago Tribune*—an admirable, nerve-soothing idea, for mistakes simply will happen, be ye ever so careful. (Proclaim it not from the housetops, and tell it not in Gath, but me, I, myself, have over and over, often and oft, made errors in this column, for which my loving friends have given me their heartfelt thanks in the shape of kicks and curses. A "live" publicity man is a poor insurance risk, believe you me.) Right applications for membership from that dinky little Louisville division, against four from Chicago the Great. And in that application column occurs the startling spectacle of the world's greatest deaf athlete—Rolf K. Harmsen—joining Chicago division at the same time the man who found and trained and taught him—Alva Long, once the training-mate of Arthur Duffey—joins Louisville.

Two of the four greatest Gallaudet sprinters of the past thirty years join the same month.

Miss Gladys Burnham was the guest of the Meagthers for a few days early in October, en route to her home in Ogden, Utah, after a year in Gallaudet College. Miss Burnham spent the past summer working in Massachusetts, but now that the rigors of winter cometh, she prefers to hie herself back to the sun-bathed plains. Miss Burnham is one of those clean, winsome, intelligent, high-minded young souls that forever bubble over with merriment—a magnet wherever they go.

Fred Lee went back to his home in Lincoln, Neb. Before coming to Chicago his physician warned him he would surely be taken sick unless he first had a delicate operation performed on his nose, but like all ambitious youths Lee decided to risk it, thinking he could defer the operation a year. Spells of dizziness while at work on the scaffolding, painting signs for the Thos. Cusack Co., made it a perilous proposition, until on October first he fell and was unconscious for some while. Next day he went home. It will take several months to recover fully from the operation, "and then I'm coming back to make-good," he bravely states.

September 22d, Miss Esther Hertzberg and Mrs. Abe Migatz gave a lovely shower to Mrs. Roy Hunter, attended to by nineteen deaf ladies. The eats were real eats—seven different kinds of cakes made Bohemian style, etc. Swelled by gifts from well-to-do hearing relatives, Mrs. Hunter's pile of remembrances assumed goodly proportions.

Frank Oosnik, of West Allis, Wis., spent a week-end in Chicago. That youngster had noticed a Milwaukee offer of a nice prize for the best name for a new hotel, and after thinking out an original name, Oosnik paid a local expert to care-

fully draft a letter setting forth in snappy detail the advantages of the name.

Gus Boltz is back after attending the Kentucky reunion around Labor Day. Following this he drove to Charleston, Huntington and other points in West Virginia, winding up by driving from Parkersburg to Cincinnati, with but one stop at Portsmouth for gas and water. He was a guest of Edgar Hay near Cincinnati for a week.

Mrs. Meagher gave a reading of "The Count of Monte Cristo" before the Pas-a-Pas Club, the last Saturday in September. Attendance about 75.

That same evening 53 tables of "bunco" and seven tables of "500" graced the Silent A. C.—a frat division affair. Padden and Henry were chairmen and got out nicely printed cards for this.

Mrs. W. J. O'Neil is back from a month's vacation, enjoying delightful visits with the Nessams in Delavan, the Harters in Racine, and her own married daughter in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Paul Martin has been visiting her blind mother here, bringing her little son. She goes back to Paul—who has a good job in Los Angeles—shortly. The Martins were well-known Chicago residents up to three years ago.

Miss Cottman and Mrs. Abe Migatz gave a successful kitchen shower on the 29th, for Miss Esther Hertzberg, who will be married on the 14th inst.

Frank Lesley, of Denver, is spending several weeks here on business. Seven Chicagoans were among the twenty silents, who helped celebrate the 40th anniversary of the Julius Krafts, in Joliet, on the 23d. The guests made up a purse of \$20 for the Krafts.

A business card comes from a former Chicagoan in Akron: "Herman H. Kohn, furnace repairing, tiawork, roofing and spouting, 1600 Preston Avenue, Goodyear Heights."

Mrs. Guy Johnson is back from a two week visit with relatives in Peoria and Springfield.

Mrs. George Fraser spent two months visiting friends in Delavan. Before Mrs. Arthur Tremaine went back to Detroit, the W. Ewins gave her a luncheon.

Mrs. Swanwick is back in Three Rivers, Mich., after a visit with her aunt in Oak Park.

Some time ago the J. Engles, of Tracy, paid a visit to the Three Rivers home of the Swanwicks.

Three young Chicago ladies attended the recent frat picnic in Detroit—Misses Gussie Lieberman, Minnie Levitsky and Mamie Flynn. Dates ahead: October 13—Bunco at Pas. 20—Frat Smoker at Sac. Carnival at Pas. 27—Hallowe'en parties at both Sac and Pas.

THE MEAGHERS.

### Resolution.

It is with sincere regret that the Board of Managers of All Souls' Church for the Deaf, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, have learned of the resignation of the Rev. C. Orvis Dantzer from the charge of All Souls' Church. They wish to place on record their great appreciation and thanks to the Rev. Mr. Dantzer for his faithful administration of the Church's work among the deaf for nineteen years. They realize that the removal of the work from Franklin and Green Street to the present site, Sixteenth Street above Allegheny Avenue, and the erection of the beautiful Church and Parish House, together with the acquirement of the adjoining house as a Rectory, have been due largely to Mr. Dantzer's zeal and energy which won the interest and gifts of friends in the Diocese. In view of the fact that much of Mr. Dantzer's thought and life have been given to this work, the present group of buildings may be regarded as a Monument to him.

The earnest prayer of the Board is that our Heavenly Father will comfort and support Mr. Dantzer in his illness, and, if in accordance with His will, restore him to such a degree of good health as will enable him to resume work among the deaf people.

Resolved That a copy of this minute be sent to the Rev. Mr. Dantzer; the "Church News" and other publications for the deaf.

Rev. James O. McIlhenny, Rector; Rev. Warren M. Smaltz, Assistant; William L. Salter, Arthur Fowler, Charles Voder, Joseph S. Rodgers, James S. Reider, George T. Sanders, William H. Lipsett, Warden; Charles M. Stevens, Treasurer; Harry E. Stevens, Clerk.

### Deaf and Dumb Boy Fails Jail Escape.

An attempt by Fred Remlinger, 26 years old, of Marshall, Ill., to escape from the cells at police headquarters, was foiled when Paul Ritchie, 14 years old, of Chatham, Ont., a deaf and dumb boy, notified the police.

Remlinger was arrested with William Switzer 25 years old, 75 Assumption Street, following a fight Sunday night in which 20 men took part. Remlinger and Switzer are charged with assault.

A riot call was sent to police headquarters and a squad of police restored order.

Switzer and Remlinger were found guilty of assault and remanded for sentence.

The charge of destroying jail property, filed against Remlinger, after his attempt to escape through a ventilator, was to be heard this afternoon when an interpreter was to take the evidence of the boy. Ritchie wrote a note telling of Remlinger's plans to Sgt. Willie Brumpton, who was on duty at the time.—*Deloit News*.

## OMAHA.

The engagement of Miss Mary Ann Estes to Clifford C. Day, of Los Molinos, Cal., was announced to twelve of her friends at a party given Sunday afternoon, August 19th, at the home of her parents in Lincoln. Misses Mabel Meyers, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Katherine Kilcoyne, of Auburn, Neb., were among the out-of-town guests.

Refreshments were served late in the afternoon. Mrs. Estes and her daughter left about the middle of September for Los Molinos, where the wedding took place at the home of the groom. They will make their future home in San Francisco.

Both the bride and groom were classmates at the Nebraska School, where she graduated in 1917. Mr. Day is now associated with his father in the fruit-growing business.

The Home Circle held its opening meeting for the 1923-1924 season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Nelson early in September. An unusually small crowd was present. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Cusaden and children and Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien motored to Lincoln Sunday, September 9th. The Cusadens were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cody, and the O'Breins of Mr. and Mrs. John Chownis. They took dinner that Sunday with Mrs. Blankenship and returned to Omaha on Tuesday morning.

On the 16th of August Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. Treukey motored down to Lincoln, as the guests of Mrs. Blankenship. On Sunday, the 12th, a party of the deaf drove in cars to Capitol Beach, a pleasure resort famed for its salt water, and took a swim for an hour or more, then a bounteous dinner was enjoyed. Kodak pictures taken there tell a tale of good times.

Miss Katieline Kilcoyne has gone back to teach in a Catholic School for the Deaf in Chicago. She summered with her folks in Auburn, Neb.

Miss Emma Maser and her father spent two weeks in Michigan on a visit and vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Beegle moved from Grand Island, Neb. to Lincoln, where Mr. Beegle is employed in a planing mill. Recently he had the misfortune to lose the forefinger of his right hand while at work.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chownis, of Lincoln, took advantage of his month's vacation and motored to Minnesota and Wisconsin. They speak highly of the roads in those two States.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed B. Hillis, of Lincoln, have a five passenger Saxon. Still they're getting in line.

Ziba Osman, of Stromburg, Neb., was in Lincoln several times during the summer on business and pleasure. He moved his tire repair shop to better quarters with the result that business is better and improving all the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Beegle gave a shower in honor of Miss Mary Estes on August 30th. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Julia Marshall, of Lincoln, has been visiting friends in Omaha and Council Bluffs for several weeks. She is seventy-eight years old, but is very active and interested in life. She was one of the first settlers of Lincoln, and watched it grow from a small one-hoss village to a bustling city of 75,000. She was educated in the Wisconsin School, and has three daughters, Mrs. John Chownis and Mrs. John Burlew, of Lincoln, and Mrs. J. Chalfane, of Chicago.

Mrs. Ota Blankenship entertained informally at her home in Lincoln. Wednesday afternoon, August 22d, for Miss Mabel Meyers, of Los Angeles, who was in Nebraska on a visit. Miss Meyers was educated at the Nebraska School and her many friends were glad to see her again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stiehler, of University Place, entertained in honor of Mrs. Blankenship, prior to her departure for Omaha.

Fred Lee left September 3d for Chicago, where he has a job with the Thomas Cusack Co. He will attend an art school in the evenings as he has talent and ambition in that line.

The local N. F. S. D. division gave a wine-roast on September 22d, at Fonelle Park. A small crowd was present and got all the wine, buns and coffee they could eat for a quarter. We are sorry for those who stayed away.

Charles Dobbins, of New Jersey, and Wendell Haley, of Devil's Lake, N. D., spent a few days in Omaha the latter part of August. The former was on his way to California, and the latter to Salt Lake City, both on their vacations.

Lyle Lowe and George Weidman left on October 3d, in the former's Ford coupe



## NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

### BKONX FRATS.

Bronx Division has secured a very large ball room for their first annual ball, which will be held on January 19th, 1924, at the Bronx Castle Hall, which is right above the Mott Avenue subway station where all trains pass and is also reached by crosstown trolleys which pass the door.

There will be fifty dollars in cash prizes for most original costumes. The Judges will be the best to be had. Music will be furnished by one of the finest jazz bands in town.

In fact, every effort is being made by chairman Jack Ebin to make the affair the best ever attempted by No. 92. The hall is one of the finest in the Bronx and has a capacity of 1500, which will assure the deaf public plenty of elbow room and a jolly good time.

Dressing rooms for both sexes are excellent, also cloak rooms.

In this hall there is a dining room and any one can drop in for a bite without leaving the building.

### H. A. D.

Quite an absorbing sermon entitled "Tuning In" was delivered by Rev. A. J. Amateau at the Friday evening services on October 5th. The receiving mechanism of a radio was interestingly explained and used as an apt illustration in the speaker's appeal to the congregation to "tune in" and make the most of the advantages, being "broadcasted" at the S. W. J. D. Building. As a result, it is safe to say that many of those present are now feeling tuned up for proper action.

### YAVIER ALIEN NOTES

"A very good number," remarked Father Egan, as he surveyed the attendance at X. E. S. services last Sunday. Which goes to show a little prodding now and then is relished by the Catholic deaf and the heat of men. President Fives and the executive committee finished up some important business, including enrollment of seven new members preceding service. Mr. Fives read the Gospel and a sermon by Father Egan on the Rosary, on the importance of devotion to the Blessed Virgin. Benediction concluded the services, at which Thomas Egan served his brother.

The long distance visitors were Miss Mary Riley, of Haverstraw, with her friend, Mrs. Fred Berger, of New Rochelle.

Wouldn't it rile you?—If, like Paul Murtagh, you quit business on your allotted vacation, and just as you started out to have a grand time, you were taken down by an ulcerated tooth? Well, consider the state of mind of Paul Murtagh under such circumstances? Still Paul managed to have a good time with a bunch of old school chums and U. L. club members up in the wilds of Connecticut.

The Silent Athletic Club digressed, for the nonce from its title, and became a public forum in the literary line. It is hinted President Charley Schindler's weakness for a good story or good talk, now and then, caused the change in the club's object. However, the engagement of Dr. Thomas F. Fox, and that gentlemen's theme, the Ku Klux Klan, was a Tex Rickard coup. The resume of the Doctor on the ins and outs of the Klan, the reference to the Know Nothings and the A. P. A.'s of a decade ago, was deserving of a S. R. O. audience, instead of the less than paltry hundred present. Dr. Fox did not try to impress anyone with the idea he had chosen his theme with the intention of favoritism. He brought out facts gleaned from authorities both within and without the Klansmen, and asked his auditors their opinions of the underlying motive of the Hooded Tribe. Was it politics? Were we of the race and creeds condemned to stand by complacently and permit a body like the K. K. K. to dominate these U. S. A.? Incidentally the Doctor spoke on the emigration problem, explaining the causes for the allotment to different European nations. All in all, the talk was interesting and instructive, and Charley Schindler figured in the final round with a request for a book of thanks to Dr. Fox. It was given.

The 15th anniversary of the birth of No. 23, N. F. S. D., recalls the old-time Brooklyn Club's passing into the Has Been class and the substitution of a branch of the Frats, through the efforts of Harry Pierce Kaue. Harry, you may have noticed, is a Sphinx-like sort of chap, except when the occasion demands. The success of No. 23 during the past 15 years is attested to on all sides. For records shattered, No. 23 has all the other fellows beaten to a frazzle, and instances of the commendable work it has done among its Brothers and to others, stands out strongly in its favor. It

is quite right, therefore, Harry should be one of the ball committee, arranging for the 15th celebration, and associated with Chairman T. Energetic Cosgrove, A. L. Pach, Sizzling Seltzer and others, the 15th annual affair ought to be a Buzzer.

Gus Bernhardt (no relation to the late lamented Sarah) is bubbling over with the good time he had on a western trip. Meeting those Chicago celebrities, Novotny and Toomey, and a St. Paul acquaintance was to Gus a rare treat. The latter invited him to visit the Minnesota town, but Gus had to decline on account of business. Having enrolled as a No. 23 brother, maybe next year he will with the trio achieve have a chance to repeat his recent experience, at the Frat Convention.

The Sorority of the Jewish Deaf has come in its place again. Last week their first meeting of the present season was held at the home of the Secretary, Mrs. A. A. Cohn. Their first act was to donate the sum of five dollars to the relief of the Japanese quake sufferers through the American Red Cross. The Sorority was tendered invitations to attend a reception and ball, given by Veterans of Foreign Wars the inhappy drive last May.

Mrs. Eugene Lippens left on the Pennsylvania Railroad at 3 o'clock on Friday, October 5th, for a vacation in the South. She expects to visit relatives in Georgia and Florida, and will be gone several weeks. She took along her Pomeranian Teddy, which will in all probability be left at the home of her daughter in Macon, Ga. Mrs. Lippens is looking forward to seeing a great deal of the sunny South automobilizing.

William Cronin, Jr. accompanied the Thomas M. Farley Association of the Fourth District, which made a trip to Sing Sing, N. Y., in six motor busses, on Sunday September 30th. At Sing Sing they witnessed a baseball game between the Thomas M. Farley Association and Mutual Welfare League, which resulted in a tie in the seventh inning. Mr. Cronin declares the trip was fine and he enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Desaix now in Paris wish to announce to their many American friends that they are blessed with a baby-boy. Mr. Desaix is a member of the Deaf-Mute's Union League, Men's Club of St. Ann's Church, the Hebrew Association of the Deaf, and the Manhattan Division, No. 87, N. F. S. D., and sends greetings and kind regards to these organizations.

With a good rest-up at Rockaway, the broken wrist of Mrs. James Leuegan responded to treatment gallantly. But with school opening, little less than an earthquake or a typhoon could keep Mrs. Leuegan away from home to get the children ready for school—May, Willie, Katherine and Margie—a bright quartet of children whose parents are deaf.

Have you any date for Saturday evening October 27th? If not, keep in mind the Halloween party to be given that night by Bronx Division No. 92, N. F. S. D., at D. A. Turn Hall on East 158th Street, the Bronx. The affair last year was pretty good, but this one is going to be even better and you could not find a better place to spend your evening—so don't forget to come.

Matty Higgins' Silent Camp at Rockaway Park was a success and the notables who found time to drop in and give Matty and his hostess the once over were numerous. Among others Dick Bowdren and Mrs. Bowdren journeyed to church at Xavier's, Ephpheta Sunday, and were Mine Host's guests all afternoon.

Although Rockaway Park is on the map as an all-year-round summer resort, Miss Marion McCoy and sister Mildred declined to pass by their annual Catskill Mountains sojourn. Fond of outdoor life, their combined speedometers summed up in hikes made something like 100 miles during their stay in the haunts of old Rip Van Winkle.

At its meeting last Saturday evening, Brooklyn Division, No. 23, N. F. S. D., appropriated \$25.00, and the members present added \$35.00 making a total of \$60.00 toward the Gallaudet Monument Fund. There were a number of donations, but the members voted to make the total \$60.00 a Division contribution.

Mr. Jacques Alexander, who spent the summer in Europe, partly on business and pleasure, has returned. He reports a good time throughout his trip. He visited the scenes of the World War, and says the destruction in many quarters is far greater than he imagined.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Brossard, of Lincoln Gardens, New Brunswick, N. J., was christened Robert Irvington Brossard, at St. Ann's Church, Sunday afternoon, September 30th, 1923, by Rev. John H. Kent.

Mr. Joseph Weisman left the city on Saturday, September 29th, for Kingston, N. Y., to see relatives, afterwards he went to Syracuse, and later to Rochester, N. Y., where he expects to obtain a position.

## LOUISVILLE.

The Kentucky School for the Deaf at Danville, entered into its Second Century of its usefulness on September 19th ult. There are only a few changes in the curriculum of the school, viz.:

Mr. W. Hickman Carter resigned last Spring, to become business manager of Centre College—his place is taken by Mr. Sam Craig, of Stanford, a recent graduate of Centre. He seems immensely interested in his new profession of teaching the deaf, especially, as he seems anxious to learn the sign language—that he will ultimately make good is the hope shared in by all.

Miss Mary Kennedy, who graduated in the 1902 class, but who has been teaching in the Mississippi School for several years past, has also been appointed a teacher.

The place of the instructor in sewing for girls made vacant by the death of Mrs. Sophie Reed, has been filled by the appointment of a hearing lady, Mrs. Mary S. Ransom, Harrodsburg.

They also have a new supervising teacher, Mr. Elwood A. Stevenson, formerly a teacher in the New York School, but lately Superintendent of the Kansas School. There has been a political upheaval in Kansas and the heads of every State Institution were ousted, Mr. Stevenson among them. As both Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson are the children of deaf parents, they are in complete sympathy with the deaf, and the K. S. D. household have found them very agreeable additions to their "family."

The "Centennial History of the Kentucky School for the Deaf" compiled by the Hon. Charles P. Fosdick, of Danville, is selling like "hot cakes" locally. It is chock full of interesting information, facts and figures, besides giving a brief, but comprehensive history of the school, it records the names and dates of all officers and pupils from its inception up to date. The composition was done on the Standard's linotype and is but a sample of what Mr. Reed can do with but a limited equipment. Every graduate, former pupil and friend of dear old K. S. D. should have a copy, better get yours before the supply is exhausted. The price is 50 cents for paper cover and 75 cents for heavier cover binding—they're worth more, believe me.

One of the most promising youngsters, who is a candidate for a position on the varsity eleven of the famous "Praying Colonels" (Centre College), this fall, is none other than George Morris McClure, Jr., son of the good Colonel and Mrs. McClure, of Danville. Working out in the open air throughout the summer at the new Dix River hydroelectric dam, he is as hard as nails and physically fit, so as to stand an excellent chance of making "Unk" Charlie Moran's team "Silent Olsen" (William Suitka), a retired and respected citizen of Quincy, Ill., as he best describes himself, was in Louisville, Sunday, September 23d. He was on his way to fill professional engagements at Atlanta and Memphis in the space of a few days. He stopped over in Louisville, visited his old friends and familiar old haunts and stopped over in Danville a few days to see his parents before going South.

His engagement at Memphis is with no other than the "Greek Demon," Demetral, but Suitka or Olsen is confident of his ability to come out on top.

He is reported engaged to a charming Illinois maiden, although no date has been set for the bells to toll.

For the past 17 years, Louisville Division No. 4, N. F. S. D., has met each month on the second floor of Robinson Hall, Main and 17th Sts. Beginning with the September meeting they met and will hereafter meet on the third floor—larger, more convenient and comfortable and beside more modern meeting place. (Maynard Bush, of Cincinnati: tell the world of our lodge room rugs.)

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hartman, of Cleveland, Ohio (but our own plain George Hartman and Maud Bruner—they were born and reared here), had a three weeks' vacation, which they spent in the following order: Detroit, Louisville, the K. A. D. Reunion and back to Louisville and then home once more. Come again to the old home town, George and Maud.

Messrs. Martin and Payne, of the K. S. D. Staff, spent their idle time between the close of the Reunion and the opening of school in Louisville. They can go back to Danville and boast that they were wined and dined to the extent that would tickle a King's palate by their friends. While here, they attended No. 4's meeting and were so impressed with the serious business way of No. 4, that they took steps to immediately transfer to here.

From far away Tampa, Fla., came Mr. and Mrs. William V. Hovious, to attend the Reunion of the K. A. D., and to visit their relatives in Western Kentucky. If Hovious can get a good situation here at satisfactory wage, he will not return to Florida, as he says he can not afford to work half

the season and loaf the other half. LATER—Hovious has secured a position at the Belknap Hardware Co., Printing Dept., and is making arrangements to settle down permanently here. Another worthy and popular addition to our rapidly growing silent colony.

Louisville is being seriously considered as the 1924 meeting place of the Democratic National Convention, and is receiving favorable comment from the press all over the country. As yet, no final selection has been made and "The Greatest Town on Earth" is still in the running.

Louisville is well prepared to take care of a meeting of this nature—its financial guarantee is \$150,000.00—besides it has ample hotel accommodations, restaurants, theatres, parks and points of interest.

While we are still upon the subject of Louisville as a Convention City, we can not help but chuckle, when we repeat that the K. A. D., in recent session in Danville, neither knew or saw a good thing, even though it was presented to them on a silver platter—they knocked the props from under the "Louisville 1924" Movement.

### "CERTIFIED BOND."

## DENVER

H. E. Grace and family have moved to Greeley, Colorado, eighty miles north of Denver, where the former is attending St. John's College, preparatory to entering the ministry next summer. At present Mrs. Grace is visiting her parents at their home in Akron, Col., but will soon join her husband in Greeley. They have our best wishes for every success.

T. R. Tansey is the proud owner of a new Harley-Davidson motorcycle and side-car. The opening day of the duck season, September 16th found Roland and J. H. Wilkins at the ranch home of Mr. Wilkins' uncle near Fort Collins. They did not bag any water fowl, but they made a trip they will not soon forget.

Mrs. William Skehan is visiting at the home of her parents in Lemar, Col. She may stay there all winter.

The foot-ball season has started in earnest. The Colorado School for the Deaf will be represented by one of the strongest gridiron teams it has had since the days of the Allens and the Wilsons, back in the fall of 1914. Each fall sees the players return to their scholastic duties huskier and huskier. Although two valuable men of last year's team are missing, there is a wealth of material to choose from. Louis Bayon and Arthur Doerfert are expected to lead the team. They are not booked to play any of the High School teams in Denver, as was hoped. Yet their list of opponents shows some of the strongest preparatory elevens in the State.

Herbert Moore, brother of Mrs. Lacie Moore Shelton, is in Denver. He is living with his sister. Though he can boast of no other trade than that of farm hand, he has secured a job as apprentice press feeder at the Continental Paper Box Co. Many of the old time Denver residents, who had not seen him since he was small boy, were surprised at the enormous proportions he had taken on. He hails from a ranch up in the northwestern corner of the State, where potatoes grow to the size of a man's head and where game abounds plentifully.

Christian Christensen, photographer of the Smith-Brooks Printing Co., boast of having covered a little more than twenty-five hundred miles in his Gray roadster this summer. He negotiated the highway to the summit of Pikes Peak on one occasion and reached the highest point possible to all important mountain peaks, between Boulder and Colorado Springs. In his album he has a rare collection of mountain scenery photos pasted away. It is not so bad to be a photographer of the beauty spots of nature by hobby.

A meeting to discuss the reorganization of the Colorado Association of the Deaf, which has been in a slumber for well nigh ten years was held at the home of T. Y. Northorn. Mr. Reid furnished those present with data of the Association when it was at its height and as to its present status. Nothing definite was arrived at, but Mr. and Mrs. Reid will select a committee to arrange for another meeting in the near future. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Janovick, F. L. Reid, Robert H. Frewing, and Dr. J. H. Cloud. Dr. Cloud is interested in this re-organization. As he points out, we should be prepared as a body when a crisis concerning the silents arises. Several States to the east of us have been putting up hard fights to retain or to regain such rights as the driving of motor vehicles.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Alford were looking over a house in Englewood one evening last week. They are trying to escape the high rents of apartments in North Denver.

Mrs. Dorothy Clark, belle of the 1923 graduating class, is at present attending Gallaudet College. We now have three representatives there: Misses Dorothy Clark and Emma Sandberg and Mr. Marcus Zenor.

## OHIO.

(News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 928 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.)

October 6, 1923—The Akron Silent Football team came down Saturday afternoon and next day contended with the West Side A. C. aggregation. The latter had been heralded as a great team having already beaten two opponents. "The Silents" also were given credit as having had a clear record last season. But to the last game. It was witnessed by the largest crowd that ever attended a professional game over there and when the contest was over, where, Oh, where were the West Side Eleven? No where; for the score was: Silents, 9; West Siders, 0. The battle was hotly fought and no scoring was made by either side until in the second quarter when Roller of the Silents made a place kick scoring 3 points. Both sides fought desperately to the end and a local paper says of the game:

The crowd was on its toes from beginning to end as the game was replete with thrills furnished by both the visitors and the local lads. All the players emerged from the game in good shape with the exception of Daubitz, who no doubt will be able to take part in next Sunday's game against the Cleveland Knits.

It will be observed by the line up that one of the standbys of the Silents in former years is missing, Mr. Louis Seinensohn. Whether he has hidden good-bye to the game, we know not, but the fact that he was recently married may account for his absence from the game.

The Silents are to be down again today and play the Wagner Pirates, who are the City champions, at the Driving Park tomorrow afternoon.

The Columbus Branch of the N. A. D. had a well-attended meeting on the evening of the 28th inst. there being 41 in attendance. The President, Mr. Zorn being absent, and the Vice President having been married, and moved to Chicago during the summer. Miss Cloa Lamson was called to preside over the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer reported a balance of \$190.84 in the bank with no expenses during the summer.

A motion was made and carried to donate \$10 to the Gallaudet Republic. The Branch hitherto kept two separate funds, one for general expenses and the other to assist worthy objects and persons, and it was decided to combine them into one for convenience. The extending of aid will still be kept up.

Hereafter the chapel of the school will be used as the place of meeting because of the increase of membership, the library becoming too small. These persons were voted as members of the Branch, Misses Rachel Gleason, Naomi Andrews, Flora Bays, Maria Warner, Irene Crossen, Ethel Mohlerly; Messrs. Orren Buckingham and Scott George. A moving picture entertainment and refreshments were decided upon for December 10th to be followed by a banquet on some date between Christmas and New Year. The committee in charge of the first will be Miss Lamson, Mr. Ohlemacher, Mr. Showalter, Mr. Hlastard, and Miss Lindsey; Mr. Fred Schwartz with Mr. and Mrs. Israel Crossen will be in charge of the second event.

The Advance Society met Tuesday evening last with an attendance of twenty-two members. After the reading and approval of the minutes of last June's meeting Mr. Basil, Chairman of the 4th July picnic held at the Home for Deaf reported net receipts \$31.47, and thanked those who assisted him in the work. Mr. Beckert moved a vote of thanks be given to John Davis for frequent donations to the Home of various articles, which was given. Also thanks to the July 4th picnic committee. It was decided to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Society with a banquet time and place to be decided by this committee: Messrs. Schwartz, Clum, Basil Grigsby, Beckert, Zorn and Zell. Next meeting will be held on November 6th.

Daylight saving time comes to an end at midnight to-night for Columbus, and many will rejoice thereat. Having two kinds of time has been a puzzle to many, especially to outsiders. Mr. Wm. Neuner, brother of Mr. C. C. Neuner, of Columbus, died September 29th, at Mansfield, O. He was aged 76 years. He received his education in the school here. He was married to Miss Emerline Culver, who died in 1908. One child came of this union, Elizabeth, now Mrs. Henry J. Blickeusdefer. He was a member of the Episcopal Church, a faithful Christian and a good friend. His son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Blickeusdefer and their daughter and husband, bearing friends and ten deaf people attended the funeral, which was conducted by Rev. C. W. Charles, assisted by the local minister of the church. The Mansfield deaf contributed a beautiful sheaf of roses. There were other tributes from friends.

## PORTLAND, OREGON

About twenty-two deaf from Portland went camping at Pacific City by the Sea on Saturday, Sunday and Labor Day, September 1st, 2d and 3d. Saturday was spent preparing camp, Sunday nearly all started out for a clam dig, but only Mr. Charlie Lynch, Mr. Nelson, Ralph Reichle, and Master Raymond Reichle were successful in reaching the place, where they brought in a good sack full. Mrs. J. O. Reichle did not give up, but went on a sand bank, near the clam diggers, where she was watching waiting their return; returning they started out for the camp, but taking the wrong trail, they encountered deep mud to the knees, which caused Mrs. Reichle to call one of the men to assist her for a mile, so Mr. Nelson was really the auxiliary, nevertheless Mrs. R. did laugh part of her adventure to keep her from fainting, anyhow all got back to camp with a good appetite for a clam dinner.

The afternoon was spent in town and on the sea shore, watching expert divers and swimming races. In the evening after a fine clam dinner all went to the beach and rallied around a bon fire, where all toasted marshmallows by the moon light. Hundred of others firs along the beach made it a pretty sight. During sunset that evening when the sunlight turned the ocean blue to gold, many people gathered on the hill, just back of the resort, to watch a large warship pass by. After a good night's sleep all went out to the beach, where some of the deaf went bathing, along with thousands of hearing people. Those who enjoyed the outing were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reichle, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Greenwald, Mr. and Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. E. Gerdo, Miss Helen Moller, Miss Hendrickson, Mrs. Guie Leo Deliglio, Mr. D. Acuff, Mr. John Walton, Mr. H. Blanc, Mrs. J. Crane, Miss Elita Estenger, Mr. Webb, Mr. A. Kautz and Ralph and Raymond Reichle.

The writer feels sure no one regretted they ever went out, as they had the best time of the season.

On the way home about fifteen of the deaf stopped over at Mimsville, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, but not finding them at home, feasted on one of Johnson's apple trees for half an hour, then on to Newberg, where a ice cream treat was enjoyed, then on to Portland, all satisfied a better time could not be had any where else.

Mr. Frederick Jorg, age 43, died on September 14th, from cancer. Mr. Jorg is a brother of Mr. Joseph Jorg, of Ruby Junction, Ore. It is a great loss to the later, who is a deaf-mute. His brother was always a great help to him, and according to the many friends who crowded the cthrob, he was well liked by all. He leaves a widow and two children. Our deep sympathy goes out for the sorrowing relatives.

Two young men, Mr. J. Crane and Mr. Harry Blanc, were visitors in Portland recently. They took in the outing with the deaf at Pacific City on Labor Day.

Miss Dodd, of Portland, a recent graduate from Gallaudet College, at Washington, D. C., has secured a position at the Vancouver Deaf School.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hunter, of Vancouver, Wash., and John Skoglund, of Spokane, called at the Nelsons home in Portland on Sunday, September 9th, but not finding them home went on to Garden Home to visit the Lindes, but also found them away from home.

There were several others deaf at the Lindes' home, who waited till a late hour to surprise Mr. and Mrs. Liude, who returned from Portland at 10 p.m.

A surprised dinner was given by about 15 deaf friend at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Wagne Thierman, on Sunday September 9th, in honor of Mr. O. Van Eman's birthday. Some fine presents were presented to him.

Miss Grace Lindgren, a former employee of the Vancouver Deaf School, did really surprise her many friends, by going to her Eastern home, where she got married. Miss L. took in the Spokane Convention in July, after which she told her friends she would go home for a visit, whereupon they all expected her back at her post in Vancouver, Wash., but all got the surprise of their lives when a note came telling of her marriage. Her friends in Vancouver and Portland extended congratulations and a long happy life.

Miss Grace Farringes is back in Portland, after having been home with her folks, who live in Washington State. Miss P. has secured a position at the Meier and Franks, where several others young deaf ladies are employed. Her many friends are glad to see her smiling face again.

Mr. Harris, of Tillamook, Ore., is now employed at the new town of Long View, Wash., as a carpenter, and is getting big wages. Mr. Harris drove to Portland, on Sunday, September 23d, in his Ford. He was formally a Portlander.

A deaf ball player from Vancouver, B. C., by name of Wear, was a visitor in Portland recently. He

stopped at the Y. M. C. A. a few days.

Miss Marion Finch passed through Portland recently on her way to Salem to take up her duties as nurse and head supervisor of girls at the Deaf School.

Mr. T. Cayanaugh has again shifted to another location. He is now working in Tacoma, Wash.

## SOUTH CALIFORNIA.

Malitz, known in the roped arena as Dummy O'Brien, is back in Los Angeles.

Negri, known as Dummy Thomas in boxing circles, is really normal as to speech and hearing.

Millman, known as Dummy Weller, is reported to have been knocked out, but his brother, manager, denies the story.

John Ryan is working day times as dish-washer in Greenleaf Lunch, Whittier, and burning the road the rest of the time in a rejuvenated Ford.

W. J. Watts is dish-washer in Philadelphia Lunch at Whittier, on the night shift.

N. T. Henderson, formerly fo Missouri, is making a success of his cobbling shop in Whittier.

Kansas reports credit Rose Tipton with sporting a \$800 diamond engagement ring.

Harlan Dillie and Jacob Schwartz, working for the Western Creamery, will have more leisure in the future as a result of improvement in mechanical operation.

The Parks at Santa Barbara have been entertaining their relatives.

It has at last rained in Los Angeles again, but not yet. The other rain I mentioned was merely a leak plugged after one or two drops.

Paso Robles tells a tale in Los Angeles papers of a deaf-mute wasting two pencil pads, pocket size, in an effort to convince a garage owner that the pencil they were using was the mute's. He finally remembered he had given the pencil to his wife. The garage man said, "never again any deaf-mute business for my garage." Who was the lunatic?

I am wearing my head beneath my own fur. After 52 years I have just found a cap (or any artificial head gear) too heavy.

What has become of a deaf-mute printer from Canada, known as Thompson?

If you are not bashful, shy, nervous, absent-minded or slow to recollect, you ought to be thankful you are not I. In the public library reading room I happened to spy a map spelling out to a woman, pointing at me, "That is the deaf-mute." Embarrassed, I looked down at the page I was reading or seeming to read, and again looked up to find the woman smiling at my discomfiture. Thus far I have not been able to identify either. I seem to have met or seen both before.

Hott, of Columbus, O., liked to Long Beach recently.

Fred Ward, of Ft. Dodge, Ia., will blame the compositor or proof reader for making him a snail in Gallaudet days. Or did I forget to add one cipher?

Stanley has gone to Oakland to play football for the Silent Club. Do not presume on chance acquaintanceship to dump two auto loads on one hospitality.

Theodore Schoenhonn has left Herbert's, the swellest cafe, for the cigar factory. Kansans will say that he reminds one of Mahlon Burgett in appearance and inclination to work.

C. C. Hollinger is building up his home day after day. It is all covered up from chance of unfavorable weather, but the inside is still to be finished.

Lewis O. Christenson, of Seattle, is visiting an uncle in Los Angeles. He has published a paper for the deaf. He has run his own printing office for about 30 years. On the Seattle Typographical Union label list, his name stands as the third. L. O. C. has a big heart, flowing over with kindness for the erring, wayward, unfortunate and his pocket book is over open. He has been the meal ticket for hundreds of stranded deaf in the northwest. This outing is his first long vacation in years, and I ask every deaf-mute who happens to meet him on the coast, to extend to him the glad hand of welcome and the hospitality of the home. For if there was one deaf-mute deserving of the respect and regard of all deaf-mutes, he is Lewis O. Christenson.

The Barretts are waiting for a sale of their high priced Iowa land, to buy a home in Los Angeles. Rents are steep here, and one finds a week or two of his wages go to the rent for their unfurnished rooms, with gas, electricity and water extra!

Peter Wear may go to Oakland to live if his boy, now hopping from town to town southward along the coast decides to hesitate at Oakland to play football for the Silent Club.

Branson, cobbler from Arkansas, arrived Monday. He may peg himself down to a bench in Los Angeles.

THEO. C. MUELLER.

Sept. 25, 1923.



## National Association of the Deaf

Organized, August 25, 1880.  
Incorporated, Feb. 23, 1900.

### OFFICE OF THE N. A. D.

The officers elected to guide the Association for the next three years are:

A. L. Roberts, of Chicago, Ill., President.  
O. W. Underhill, of Florida, First Vice-President.  
Mrs. C. I. Jackson, of Georgia, Second Vice-President.  
F. A. Moore, of Trenton, N. J., Secretary-Treasurer.  
J. H. Cloud, of Missouri; T. F. Fox, of New York, and J. W. Howson, of California, Trustees.

### OFFICIAL ORGANS

Instead of having its official information confined to one organ, as has been done in the past, the Association has voted to add the *Deaf Citizen* of North Carolina, the *Deaf-Mutes' Journal*, the *Jewish Deaf*, and the *National Optimist* to that of the *Silent Worker*. In this way it believes its information will be better distributed and thereby reach a larger percentage of members.

### NOTICE

Henry L. Stafford, of Duluth, Minn., has been appointed Chairman of the De l'Epee Memorial Statue Committee, succeeding Samuel Frankenheim, of New York City. The latter has been made Treasurer of the Committee, in which position he has been acting in addition to his duties as Chairman since the resignation of Anton Schroeder, of St. Paul, Minn., over a year ago.

### THE ATLANTA CONVENTION

The south lived up to every expectation. Every member of the National Association who attended the recent convention at Atlanta will agree to this. The entertainment features of the program have never been excelled by any convention in the history of the association, if indeed equalled. This is said without prejudice to other conventions that have gone before. The Atlanta Local Committee was splendidly organized and able to command the assistance and service of influential people in Atlanta who left nothing undone to see that the visitors were royally entertained. And royally entertained they were.

The Atlanta Local Committee abundantly deserves all the praise it has received for its splendid work. The new administration of the association desires to extend its sincere thanks to the committee for the good work it did.

During the Atlanta convention as Secretary-Treasurer of the association, I received valuable assistance from several members; namely, Mrs. C. L. Jackson, of Atlanta; Mrs. J. H. McFarlane, of Alabama; Miss Ethelburga Zell, of Ohio; who assisted in the receipt of dues and fees; Mrs. W. E. Gholdston and Mrs. J. G. Bishop, of Atlanta, and Mr. Fred Hart, of Savannah; assisted in registering delegates; Mr. C. D. Seaton, of West Virginia; Mr. A. L. Pach, of New York; Mrs. Byron Boyd, of Tennessee, and Mr. M. L. Kenner, of New York, who assisted with the railroad certificates. In the certificate matter, Mr. Pach and the Atlanta representative of New York of the Sea Board Air Line Railroad were of very great help, and thanks are largely due to them that the delegates were enabled to get half fare returning. To all of the above named friends, I wish to convey my grateful thanks and appreciation.

ARTHUR L. ROBERTS,  
President.

### AN OPEN LETTER

St. Louis, Aug. 21, 1923

To the Members of the Local Committee of the Atlanta Convention of the N. A. D.

MY DEAR FRIENDS:—Please accept my hearty congratulations upon the brilliant success which has attended your efforts in behalf of the N. A. D. Each and every one of you rendered highly efficient service and I thank you one and all.

While the attendance record at Atlanta did not equal that at Detroit the Atlanta Convention takes first place for its uniformly high grade business program and for originality, variety, and splendor on the social side.

The deplorable tragedy at East Lake will, of course, leave a lasting impress of sadness upon the hearts and minds of all who were present, but it will not detract from the credit due you for your splendid work.

Our official relations have been most pleasant and I take leave of you with sincere personal regret, thankful for having known you and grateful for the kindly and efficient help you have given me.

Faithfully and sincerely yours,  
JAMES H. CLOUD.

### St. Thomas Mission for the Deaf

Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust Streets, St. Louis, Mo.  
The Rev. James H. Cloud, M.A., D.D., Priest-in-Charge.  
Mr. A. O. Steidemann, Lay Reader.  
Miss Hattie L. Deem, Sunday School Teacher.

Sunday School at 9:30 A.M.  
Sunday Services at 10:45 A.M.  
Woman's Guild, First Wednesdays, 2:00 P.M.  
Lectures, Third Sundays, 7:30 P.M.  
Socials, Fourth Saturdays, 8:00 P.M.

Special services, lectures, socials and other events indicated on annual program card and duly announced.

You are cordially invited and urged to attend. Tell and bring your friends.

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GIVEN BY THE

## Deaf-Mutes' Union League



AT THE

### Twenty-second Engineer's Armory

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Saturday Evening, January 5, 1924

DOORS OPEN AT 7 30 P.M.

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Saturday Eve February 2d 1924

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Three Days only, 7:30 to 10 P.M.

Useful and fancy Articles of every Description, suitable for Christmas Gifts.

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At the G. A. R. Building

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Saturday Evening, Nov. 10, 1923

Music - Cash Prizes - Refreshments

Tickets, (including wardrobe)-60c.

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